

Senate Resolution 968

By: Senator Rogers of the 21st

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Lance Corporal William Mark Edmonds; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Lance Corporal William Mark Edmonds has attained the rank of Eagle Scout,
4 the most distinguished rank conferred by the Boy Scouts of America; and

5 WHEREAS, a candidate for the most exceptional award in scouting must complete a
6 rigorous program of training and demonstrate his proficiency in selected scouting techniques
7 and attainment of the highest ideals of scouting; and

8 WHEREAS, only one scout out of 97 ever reaches this lofty level of achievement, and Lance
9 Corporal Edmonds has ably evidenced his aptitude and competency in mastering the various
10 special skills taught through the Boy Scout program; and

11 WHEREAS, this hard-working young man is a member of Troop 4056 and has demonstrated
12 great leadership skills and initiative during his years with the Boy Scouts of America
13 program; and

14 WHEREAS, to earn the rank of Eagle Scout, Lance Corporal Edmonds designed and built
15 an outdoor classroom for Mountain Road Elementary School in Woodstock, Georgia; and

16 WHEREAS, an outstanding Georgian, Lance Corporal Edmonds has truly exhibited a
17 commitment to the scouting principles of honesty and fairness and has consistently
18 conducted himself in a manner becoming an Eagle Scout; and

19 WHEREAS, the perseverance and determination displayed by this exceptional young leader
20 is an example for all Georgians, and great success is surely in this young man's future.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
22 commend Lance Corporal William Mark Edmonds for his diligence and dedication in
23 pursuing the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and congratulate him on
24 attaining the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
26 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Lance Corporal William Mark Edmonds.